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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: SB 471

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 15, 2003

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Disclosure of Educational Records.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Broden

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: Local

Summary of Legislation: This bill requires a school corporation and certain other entities to release education records to a state or local juvenile justice agency under certain circumstances.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Under current law a school corporation *may* disclose or report on the education records of a child, including personally identifiable information contained in the education records, without the consent of the child's parent, guardian, or custodian, under the following conditions:

- (1) The disclosure or reporting of education records is to a state or local juvenile justice agency.
- (2) The disclosure or reporting relates to the ability of the juvenile justice system to serve, before adjudication, the student whose records are being released.
- (3) The juvenile justice agency receiving the information certifies, in writing, to the entity providing the information that the agency or individual receiving the information has agreed not to disclose it to a third party, other than another juvenile justice agency, without the consent of the child's parent, guardian, or custodian.

The bill would change the *may* disclose or report the education records of a child to a *shall* disclose or report. Local schools may incur additional administrative costs in making copies or generating a report on the education records of a child. The additional cost are unknown but are probably minor.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Local School Corporations.

Information Sources:

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